

THE BUTTE OFFICE
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ing morning's paper.

The STANDARD is delivered to Butte subscrib-
ers early every morning.

BUTTE RAILWAY GUIDE.

MONTANA UNION.

	Arrive.	Leave.
Helena Express.....	12:10 p.m.	8:30 a.m.
Montana Union Express.....	10:30 p.m.	2:30 p.m.
Northern Pacific Express.....	4:30 p.m.	1:30 a.m.
Anaconda Express.....	10:20 a.m.	10:30 a.m.
Anaconda Express.....	3:30 p.m.	5:00 p.m.
Anaconda Express.....	8:20 p.m.	9:20 p.m.
Utah & Northern Express.....	1:00 p.m.	1:00 p.m.
Utah & Northern Express.....	12:45 a.m.	7:30 p.m.

*Connect at Stuart with local Anaconda train.

MONTANA CENTRAL.

	Arrive.	Leave.
*St. Paul Express.....	5:10 p.m.	7:45 a.m.
Helena Accommodation.....	11:40 a.m.	8:40 p.m.

*Connection with Utah & Northern train for
Fossil and points east and west on Union
Pacific.

CLOSING AND ARRIVAL OF MAILS.

	Closes.	Arrive.
Mail for California and the Southern States.....	8:30 p.m.	1:30 a.m.
Mail for East via M. C. Ry.....	2:30 p.m.	8:00 p.m.
Mail for East via M. C. Ry.....	2:30 p.m.	8:00 p.m.
Mail for West via N. P. Ry.....	9:15 p.m.	

Additional Butte news will be found
on the sixth page.

BUTTE CURRENT NOTES.

Hon. Granville Stuart and wife of Fort
Harrison are in the city.

Sheriff Rose of Beaverhead county was
a visitor in the city yesterday.

Mike Kavanaugh was arrested last night
for creating a disturbance on East Park
street.

J. D. Youart, recently connected with
the Helena Journal, is in the city visiting
friends.

Indications are that Butte will be well
represented at the Dillon foot races next
Sunday.

Under Sheriff Parker of Helena was
in the city yesterday on a little official
business.

J. J. Fallon, general agent of the Chicago
& Rock Island, arrived from Helena
yesterday.

Workmen began yesterday to raise the
old shacks standing on the lot to be occu-
pied by the new city hall.

General Agent Maze of the Union Pacific
returned yesterday from a visit to
Virginia City and Ruby valley.

An affidavit of annual labor and im-
provements upon the Tip Top lode was
filed yesterday by John Hopkins.

Louis Hendrickson, the man afflicted
with "feline" and suspected of insanity,
was taken out to the poor farm yesterday.

The hearing of the demurrer to the
amended objections in the matter of the
estate of A. J. Davis is set for October 4.

F. B. Ross, northwestern passenger
agent of the Chicago, St. Paul & Kansas
City railway, was in the city yesterday
working up business.

The Pastime Athletic club met last
night for their usual athletic exercises at
the gymnasium back of the Pavilion rink
on the corner of Granite and Alaska
streets.

"Dave" Evans, the well-known mining
man found himself the surprised and
happy possessor of a \$300 gold watch and
chain last evening. Whence is the question
Mr. Evans is unable to answer.

J. Heller, the traveling man arrested
Thursday evening for cheating I. M.
Jacobs & Co., was arraigned before Judge
Newkirk yesterday. He pleaded not
guilty and will be examined tomorrow.

Rev. Frank E. Brush, the newly ap-
pointed pastor of the Mountain View
Methodist church, arrived from Waterloo,
Iowa, his last charge, yesterday after-
noon. The gentleman is accompanied
by his family, consisting of himself and
one child.

Early yesterday morning Hazel Graf-
field and her "friend" Harry Atkins, be-
came engaged in a quarrel which ended
by the woman jabbing the man in the
ribs with a knife. She was arrested and
placed in jail on a charge of assault with
intent to commit murder. Her prelimi-
nary is set for to-day.

Victor Casson, a tall, attenuated spec-
imen of the genus "Pinky," was arrested
last night by Officer Wilson for creating
a disturbance in the Eagle saloon on
West Park street. Casson was formerly
employed in the house as piano mangle,
and was recently discharged. The
trouble for which he was arrested was
over one of the waitresses.

ATTEMPTED MURDER.

John Goldworthy Chokes His Wife and
Tries to Cut Her Throat.

By the Standard's Special Wire.

BUTTE, Sept. 26.—John Goldworthy,
residing in Woolman street was arrested
this evening by Officer Duhme for at-
tempting to murder his wife. The couple
had been quarrelling for sometime and
finally Goldworthy knocked the woman
down and began choking her. When he
had her on the floor, he attempted to cut
her throat with a case knife which he had
sharpened with a file until it had an edge
almost as keen as a razor. The woman's
cries attracted the attention of some
neighbors, who went to her assistance
and arrived just in time to save her life.
They secured the would-be murderer and
held him while a policeman was being
sent for. When the officer made the ar-
rest Goldworthy attempted to resist and
refused to go along, but he was speedily
caused to change his mind and walked
along quietly after that. Duhme secured
possession of the knife.

Railroad Officials in the City.

Special Correspondence of the Standard.

BUTTE, Sept. 26.—A special train arrived
over the Montana Central this evening,
having on board J. J. Hill, president of
the Great Northern, P. P. Shelby, general
traffic manager of the same company,
and W. B. Burns, superintendent of the
Montana Central. An attempt was made
to interview some of the gentlemen, but
beyond volunteering the information that
the trip was devoid of special significance,
nothing could be learned. It is more than
probable, however, that the visit of the
party has much more significance at-
tached to it than the members comprising
it care to make public, and some very
lively guessing is indulged in by persons
pretending to know a thing or two.

Go to J. H. Lynch's and try his ice cold
beer.

W. H. BECKER ON TRIAL.

A Continuance Asked for by Defendant
and Denied by the Court.

A Jury Secured and a Number of
Witnesses Examined—The
Case Continued Until
To-Day.

Special Correspondence of the Standard.

BUTTE, Sept. 26.—The trial of H. H.
Becker for assault with intent to kill was
set for this morning and was expected to
start off without any difficulty. This ex-
pectation was, however, doomed to disap-
pointment, for Messrs. Haldorn and
Booth, counsel for the defense, came up
armed with an affidavit asking for con-
tinuance on the ground that Hennessy,
one of the most essential witnesses, was
prospecting in the mountains near Ellis-
town. They had not issued a subpoena, be-
cause they were unable to designate ex-
actly where the witness was and did not
wish to put the county to useless ex-
pense. Then followed a heated argu-
ment between counsel, resulting in an
overruling of the motion by the court.
The court held that due diligence had not
been employed to procure the attendance
of the witness, that the costs of contin-
uance might prove greater than the cost of
an attempt on the part of the sheriff to
find the witness and so ordered the clerk
to call the jury.

A full hour was spent in the selection of
the jury, counsel for the defense making
six peremptory challenges, the full num-
ber possible for them. At 11:30 the jury
was sworn and the trial began. Over half
the witnesses were found to be absent
and the court finally became out of pa-
tience with the continued retardation and
expressed his disgust with the way wit-
nesses were responding.

John McDonnell was the first witness
put on the stand by the prosecution. Pre-
liminarily to the examination the dis-
trict attorney stated his case and then
proceeded to examine the witness. McDon-
nell stated that he was a blacksmith and
working at his trade June 5, the date of
the assault. About half past 5 o'clock in
the evening he went into a neighboring
saloon and bought a glass of
sarsaparilla. He had some words with
Becker and left the saloon. Becker fol-
lowed him and appeared at the door of
the shop with a revolver in his right hand.
After an examination of threat, he raised
his pistol and fired. McDonnell ran out
of the door, and Becker fired again. Then
Becker poked the barrel of the revolver
through a pane of glass in a window to
the shop and fired a third shot. The
bullet and last was fired in an alley. On
direct examination the witness admitted
having called Becker a coward because
he was carrying a gun for him. This he
did in the saloon but a short time
before the shooting occurred. The witness
knew that Becker was carrying a gun be-
cause he had seen him do so. He had had
some trouble with Becker a year previous to
this time. He had then been told that
Becker was carrying a gun for him. When
Becker appeared at the door of the shop
the witness had a horse's hoof in his lap.
Just before he fired, he said: "I have been
waiting three weeks to kill you, I've never
killed a man in my life but I'll kill you
now."

The noon adjournment of the court in-
terrupted the testimony of the witness.

A 2 o'clock he was again put upon the
stand and asked to testify as to details of
the occurrence. Throughout he persisted
that the pistol was all the while pointed
at him. The witness swore that he made
no hostile demonstrations toward Becker
either before or during the shooting. One
bullet he found about three feet over his
head in the rafter above the anvil.

On cross-examination the witness testi-
fied that he met Becker in the saloon by
pure accident. A week before he had
met Becker by intention and had then
accused him of carrying a gun for him.

The witness had never struck Becker, but
on one occasion a year before torn
Becker's shirt. The witness admitted
that he knew Becker carried a gun, be-
cause he saw him fire it for a fire alarm.

He had a pair of pincers in his hand in
the shop, but did not have them in his
hand when he entered the saloon. Head-
milled having called the defendant on
several occasions profane epithets.

At this point, by consent of counsel,
McDonnell was excused to admit Judge
Newkirk to the stand. He brought up
and identified the pistol used. It had
been given him at the time and placed in
the safe. He could not swear that the gun
was in the same condition as at the close
of the affray. Officer Cody gave it to him
and may have removed the cartridges.

Judge Newkirk was then excused and
the cross-examination of the complaining
witness continued. He had never said to
anyone that he intended to tantalize
Becker on going into the saloon.

Becker was within 10 feet of the
witness when he fired and the bullet en-
tered a rafter 10 feet above his head.
The second shot was fired as he
went out the door. He was watching
Becker as he went out and saw the pistol
pointed at his head. The bullet struck
several feet above his head. McDonnell
was then excused.

The court ordered him excluded with
the other witnesses. Mr. Haldorn said
that they did not care and so he was
allowed to remain.

J. E. Black, the witness missing this
morning, was called. He was the owner
of the shop where the affray occurred.
He was just outside the door working
when McDonnell went out for a drink.
Becker followed him out, had a gun in his
hand, and with this went to the door and
fired. Becker was drunk and said that
he had McDonnell where he wanted him
and immediately fired at him.

GRAND DRILLING CONTEST.

The Great Match at the Race Track on
Sunday.

Special Correspondence of the Standard.

BUTTE, Sept. 25.—The greatest rock
drilling contest that ever took place in
Montana will be held in this city on next
Sunday afternoon at the race track. It is
to be between William Page of Butte,
champion of Montana, and John Abarn
of Leadville, champion of Colorado. The
match is for \$1,000 a side and the gate re-
ceipts. The match has aroused great in-
terest and doubtless thousands of dollars
will change hands on the result. Both
are known to be experts and have a large
following of friends.

The contest will begin at the race track
promptly at 3 o'clock Sunday afternoon,
Sept. 28. The admission to the grounds
and round trip is \$1. The tickets are good
on either the electric or motor lines. It
will be the finest contest of the kind ever
seen in Montana and everybody should
attend.

Rooms finely furnished for rent cheap.
Carder's new building, East Granite street,
first brick house east of high school.

Automatic cold water pressure is the
order of the day at J. H. Lynch's.

CHARGED WITH MURDER.

"Big Al." Van Leuven and Young Jack
Dowd Arrested.

By the Standard's Special Wire.

BUTTE, Sept. 26.—Under Sheriff Parker
of Lewis and Clark county, accompanied
by Special Deputy Best, arrived from
Helena this morning and seemed to have
no special object in view except to lei-
surely saunter around and see the sights.
The fact that occasionally they were no-
ticed to hold quiet little talks with sev-
eral of the city officers made it evident that
they were after game of some kind.

When cornered by a reporter they ad-
mitted that their visit was not for
pleasure, but beyond this they would say
nothing. To-night the whole matter
came out; they were looking for a couple
of men wanted at Helena for murder and
found them. The men wanted were "Big
Al," Van Leuven and "Young" Jack Dowd.

They were arrested between 8 and 9
o'clock and given in charge of Sheriff
Lloyd, who placed them in jail. To-mor-
row morning they will be taken to Helena
for trial. The crime for which
Van Leuven and Dowd are under ar-
rest was committed at Helena on the
3d of last April, and the victim was a
woman of the town, known as "Mrs.
Jack Dowd." At the time the murder
was committed a belief prevailed that the
perpetrator was a Chinaman, owing to
the fact that the woman was killed with
an ax or hatchet, her body being chopped
to pieces, a favorite method of murder
among the Chinese. To strengthen this
belief, a pair of Chinese shoes were
found outside of the room in which
the woman was killed, making it
appear as though the murderer had
taken off his shoes to enable him to enter
the room without being heard, and in his
hurry to escape had forgotten them.

What evidence the Helena authorities
have against the men arrested here is not
known, as that is a matter the officers did
not care to talk about. Van Leuven
will undoubtedly learn to grow ac-
customed to being arrested for
murder as this is the second time
that he has been held on that charge.

Last spring he was arrested by Sheriff
Lloyd and held for a number of days on
suspicion of being a man who committed
a cold-blooded murder in California some
time ago. The arrest was made on the
strength of information furnished by an
alleged detective but it proved to be a
mistake and Van Leuven was released.

ANOTHER ACCIDENT.

William Allen Has His Right Leg Crushed
by a Car.

Special Correspondence of the Standard.

BUTTE, Sept. 26.—This evening at about
5:15 o'clock a distressingly sad accident
occurred in the Montana Central yards.

The regular passenger train from Helena
had just arrived and was backing into a
side track to make room for the special
containing President Hill and other of-
ficers of the company. The train was
moving slowly and making but little noise
so that William Allen was walking ahead
of it and in the same direction, failed to
notice its approach. The first intimation
he had of any danger was when the rear
car struck him and threw him to one side
and partly off the track. In falling he
did not quite clear the track, his right leg
remaining on the rail and before he could move a
car wheel passed over the leg, crushing it in
the freight car, near which the accident
occurred. Dr. Witherspoon was sum-
moned and Allen was placed in a car-
riage and taken to Whitford's hospital
where Dr. Witherspoon gave him in
charge of the attending physician, Allen
being a subscriber to the fund of that in-
stitution. It was found necessary to am-
putate the leg near the hip as the member
was too badly crushed to save it lower
down.

Allen has been in the employ of the
Butte Reduction works for a number of
years and is well known here, having
been a resident of the city for the last 10
years. He has two brothers here who are
also employed by the same company.

"THE GALLEY SLAVE."

A Large and Well-Pleasant Audience—
"Esmeralda" To-Night.

By the Standard's Special Wire.

BUTTE, Sept. 26.—The "Galley Slave"
was rendered to a large and well pleased
audience at the Maguire Opera house
this evening. It must be confessed that
Lydia Knott as Francesca eclipsed the
star to-night. Her rendering of this tragical
part after the light part she so well car-
ried last evening displays a rare versatility
in talents. Miss Knott's playing indi-
cated a rare sympathy with the touching
part she played. She has also an excel-
lent voice, clear and easily intelligible
yet moderate and natural in tone and
quite free from the high and strained
tension to which an actress usually
pitches her voice. However successful as
an actress Mrs. Knott is no rival of Car-
oline Gage in point of personal beauty.

There Caroline Gage has few
rivals on the stage. Hilmyer be-
came waked up to-night and did
some excellent work as Sidney Norcott.
Kent Thomas, with his dry humor and
his topical songs, was accorded another
enthusiastic ovation. The company will
give their two closing performances to-
morrow. "Our Boys" is the bill at the
matinee and the familiar "Esmeralda" in
the evening.

DIVORCE SUIT.

Peter Martin Sues for a Divorce on the
Ground of Infidelity.

Special Correspondence of the Standard.

BUTTE, Sept. 26.—Peter Martin sues
for a divorce from his wife Nina,
alleging that during the last two
years she has been guilty of infidel-
ity on numerous occasions and that
she is now living with one Daniel Martin
in a state of adultery at 331 East Park
street. Martin and his wife were married
May 10, 1879, at the town of Foxboro, in
the Province of Ontario, Canada. They
have been in Butte for over two years.
There are two children from the unfor-
tunate marriage, Alice, aged 7 years, and
Willie, aged 4 years.

The father has the girl and the mother
the boy. In addition to suing for absolute
divorce Martin further asks for the cus-
tody of the boy also, alleging that his wife,
"by reason of her character, reputation,
and present immoral life is an unfit per-
son to have the care and custody of the
child."

The American Tailor is now better pre-
pared than ever to sustain his reputation
of making the best fitting clothes in Butte.
42 West Park.

Eye, ear and deformities, Dr. T. J.
Eaton, Windsor hotel, Butte, until Sep-
tember 28.

Drop in and try beer drawn 16 feet by
automatic cold water pressure at J. H.
Lynch's.

THE GREY EAGLE LODGE.

Another Legal Fight Before Mr. Leggat
Can Have Peaceful Possession.

Mrs. Ruth F. Leggat Brings Suit to
Recover a Portion of the Prop-
erty—Another Suit in
Reserve.

By the Standard's Special Wire.

BUTTE, Sept. 26.—John A. Leggat now
has another fight to make for the Grey
Eagle lode before he can have peaceful
possession. Already during the present
session he has now won suit brought
against him by M. T. Welsh and others
for the possession of the same property.

The contestant in this suit is Ruth F. Leg-
gat, whose name already appears in num-
erous actions against the defendant. The
complaint alleges that on October 20, 1880,
John A. Leggat sold to Alexander Leggat
of St. Louis, three-fourteenths of the
"Grey Eagle" for the sum of \$1,200.

The purchaser is said to have held the
same property in fee simple until Febru-
ary 8, 1886, when, the plaintiff alleges, he
conveyed to her (his wife) fifty-sixths
of the claim. The defendant, she further
alleges, being her brother-in-law, pre-
tended during the years of 1886-8 to act as
her friend, adviser and attorney regard-
ing her property in Montana, since she
had never up to his present year been
here at all. Until lately she was ignorant
of the condition of the property and of the
law requiring work to be performed on
the claim. Up to 1887 she states that John
A. Leggat did represent her interests up
to March 17, 1887.

At that time the defendant entered into
an agreement with the other owners that
in order to secure a perfect title the claim
should be relocated. This relocation was
made that day by John McConville and
the relocation claim was called the "Grey
Eagle Fraction" lode. Now comes the
crucial point for Mrs. Leggat, she accuses
the defendant of having fraudulently pro-
cured from McConville the conveyance of
her share instead of taking out a deed for
her. This alleged fraud Mrs. Leggat
claims not to have discovered until some
time later. She then offered to reimburse
the Butte men for his services and de-
manded the conveyance of the nine-fifty-
sixths of the claim. This the defendant
refused to do and so Mrs. Leggat brings
suit.

Mrs. Ruth Leggat has yet another suit
in reserve, intending later on to bring
action for the additional thirty-sixths
retained by her husband, to which she
claims to be entitled as her husband's
heir.

Special Meeting.

A special meeting of the Butte City
Stock Exchange will be held on Sat-
urday evening, September 27, at 8 o'clock
at the rooms of the Exchange, Avalon
Building. Your presence and prompt at-
tendance is particularly requested, as
business of importance to each individual
member will be discussed.

M. L. HOLLAND, President.
W. M. N. VIGUERS, Secretary, pro tem.

Mrs. E. N. Dakins' Fall Display.

Street improvements in front of her
store necessitates a week's delay in her
opening, which will begin October 6.

THE PAVILION.

ROLLER SKATING RINK

R. E. WILSON, MANAGER.

+ OPENS +
Saturday, Sept. 27th.

GOOD MUSIC,
GOOD FLOOR,
GOOD SKATES.

All Questionable Characters Excluded.

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MISS EMMA BERG

The Renowned Swedish Prima Donna.

MISS MAYBELLE ECKERT

The Charming Young Contralto.

MME. JULIA DE BELTRAN,

LEADER.

1. March—Eightyfourth Regiment..... Komzak
2. Waltz—"Eschschelien aus de Wiener
Wald"..... Strauss
3. Overture—"Der Tambour der Erde"..... Thi
4. Tenor Solo from opera of "Martina".....
Mr. W. Mott Eckert
5. Selection—"La Traviata"..... Verdi
6. Song..... Miss Louisa Joseffy
7. Waltz—"L'Estudiantine"..... Waldteufel
8. Grand Aria for soprano from opera,
"satanella".....
Miss Emma Berg and Mr. Wil-
mott Eckert.
9. Overture—"Stradella"..... Pionini
10. Caprice—"Heimliche Nehen"..... Eilenberg
11. Lullaby—From opera Don Quixote.....
Miss Emma Berg and Mr. Wil-
mott Eckert.
12. Selection—"Martina"..... Pionini
13. G. and Trio from opera—"H. Trovatore".....
Miss Emma Berg and Mr. May Bell
Eckert, Mr. Wilmott Eckert.
14. Waltz—"Le Petit Bleu"..... Wenzel
15. Galop—"So Asagueten Send wir Racht"..... Strauss

TO CONSUMERS:

The Boycott Has Been Raised,
the Price of Beef has Fallen

—AT THE—
METROPOLITAN MARKET

We have made the following cut in prices
for the benefit of our patrons:

WHOLESALE PRICES FOR CASH:

Beef by the side..... 5 cents
Chuck Roast at..... 8 cents
Pork by the side..... 10 cents
Mutton..... 10 cents
Veal..... from 6 to 10 cents

RETAIL PRICES FOR CASH:

Boil Beef at..... 5 cents
Chuck Roast at..... 8 cents
Prime Rib Roast at..... 12 1/2 cents
Rump Ste..... 8 cents
Round Steak..... 10 cents
Sirloin Steak..... 12 1/2 cents
Porterhouse Steak..... 15 to 20 cents
Mutton Chop..... 10 to 15 cents
Mutton Legs..... 12 1/2 cents
Mutton Breast..... 5 cents
Veal..... from 10 to 12 cents
Lamb, forequarter..... 10 cents
Lamb, hindquarter..... 7 1/2 cents
Pork Sausage..... from 10 to 15 cents
Corned Beef..... from 5 to 8 cents
Pickled Pork..... from 10 to 12 1/2 cents

We guarantee satisfaction in every particular.
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